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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 03 June 2008 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

- d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

Amendment proposed by applicant changes the scope of original claimed subject matter. Previous Examiner's Amendment was properly made. For example, amendment to claim 1 was the placement of claim 2 in independent form. The language of the amended claim 1 is the same as original filed claim 2.

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